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Blessings to the beloved Vicars of the Parishes, Priests of the locality, Cor-Episcopoi, Deacons, Kaisthanees, members of MMVS, and faithful of all parishes in our Diocese of South-West America.

Dearly beloved,

We are very much delighted to express our sincere appreciation and gratitude to the members of the MMVS in our diocese for their systematic functioning as an influential spiritual organization, especially among our women. We would like to congratulate all the leaders of MMVS who have dedicated themselves for the better cause of this organization. Especially we acknowledge the charismatic leadership and efforts of the MMVS Vice President Rev. Fr. P.C. George, General Secretary Ms. Rupa Anna John, Joint Secretary Ms. Elizabeth Panicker, Treasurer Ms. Liz Philips and the Auditor Ms. Annie Thomas. By God's grace, the preparation for the 2020 Diocesan conference of MMVS scheduled to be held at Detroit St. Thomas Orthodox Church is progressing under the able leadership of Detroit region Clergy and MMVS Diocesan and Regional office bearers. The regional/area secretaries has commenced working in their respective regions/areas as per our direction and are diligently and enthusiastically taking initiatives to implement the year plan given to the regions from the Diocese. We here by announce their names and appoint them in their respective positions as follows:

Mid-West Region

Chicago Area - Reena Varkey (St. Gregorios Orthodox Cathedral, Bellwood)

Detroit Area - Elizabeth Tharakan (St. Thomas Orthodox Church of India, Detroit)

South Region

Dallas Area - Mariamma S. Thomas (St. Mary's Orthodox Church of India, Dallas)

Houston Area - Robby Mathew (St. Stephen's Orthodox Church, Houston)

South-East Region

Florida Area - Antu Reeba Sam (St. Gregorios Orthodox Church of India, South Florida)

Atlanta Area - Litty Mathew (St. Thomas Orthodox Church, Atlanta)

North-West Region

Viny Anil Varghese (St. Mary's Malankara Orthodox Church, Calgary)

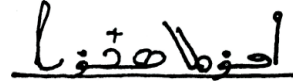
West Region

Dr. Elizabeth John (St. Thomas Orthodox Church, Los Angeles, CA)

We appreciate the dedicated services of the regional offices bearers who have successfully completed their tenure: Regional Secretaries Ms. Jolly Thomas (South Dallas), Ms. Mariamma Thoams (South-East Florida), Ms. Shiney George (West), Ms. Reshma Zachariah (Mid-West Detroit), and Ms. Annama Kuriakose (Mid-West Chicago).

With paternal affection we request you all to extent your prayerful support for the success of MMVS Annual Conference at Detroit from September 25 to 27, 2020.

May the love of God the Father, grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the fellowship and communion of the Holy Spirit be with us forever and ever.



Metr. Dr. Zacharias Mar Aprem

From Sreyas Aramana
Adoor, Pathanamthitta Dt., Kerala, India
On February 8th, 2020